

# FSI Announces: Coordination for Conflict and Instability: S/CRS and Interagency Response PD561

This one-day overview course is the first in a series offered in cooperation with the Office of the Coordinator for Reconstruction and Stabilization (S/CRS). The course is designed to review the rationale, history, mission and goals behind recent initiatives to improve USG involvement in failed and failing states, provide an overview of the dynamics of conflict and instability, and explain the roles and tools applicable to collaboration among USG agencies and other relevant organizations in reconstruction and stabilization (R&S) activities.

## **Course Objectives:**

- Increased familiarity with USG policy directives and initiatives for Reconstruction and Stabilization (R&S) Operations [NSPD 44, DODD 3000.05, and the Role of F]
- Improved understanding of new USG integrated interagency (IA) concepts and tools available to help transform conflict (e.g. Interagency Methodology to Analyze Instability and Conflict [IMIC], Interagency Management System [IMS], Essential Task Matrix [ETM])
- Better understanding of the new USG civilian response capacity (ARC, SRC, CRC)
- Increased awareness of R&S roles within S/CRS, collaborating USG agencies and relevant international organizations and foreign government partners and the impact on unity of effort

# **Audience:**

- USG civilian staff likely to be involved in R&S Initiatives
- DOD staff with direct integrated R&S Mandates
- USG civilian (ARC, SRC) staff

# To Register:

DOS Direct Hires: go here and enter the course number for which you would like to register

Non-State Personnel and Contractors: (State and Non-State) can enroll by completing form <a href="SF182">SF182</a> (See directions below) and an <a href="S/CRS-sponsored">S/CRS-sponsored</a> FSI Course Training Agreement</a>. Contractors must submit a <a href="Contractor Training Request">Contractor Training Request</a> in addition to the two forms above. Fax completed forms to (703) 302-6949. Please contact Ryan Allen (703) 302-6952 for additional information or go to <a href="www.crs.state.gov">www.crs.state.gov</a>. While S/CRS is funding most tuition costs, ALL Contractors should check with Ryan Allen before applying.

## SF182 Directions:

Fill out pages 1 and 2 ONLY. Complete all items in Section A and B. Provide ALL information for your immediate supervisor and training officer in Section D. Leave Sections C, E, and F blank. Should you require specific instructions on information to provide on the SF182 please see pages 6-14 of the document. NOTE: The SF-182 is best viewed with Adobe Reader 8